

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Randal J. Kirk; Keith R. LathamApplication No./Patent No.: 09/986,426; Conf. 5236 Filed/Issue Date: November 8, 2001Entitled: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION CONTAINING AN ACTIVE AGENT IN AN AMINO ACID  
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Shire LLC, a Kentucky Corporation  
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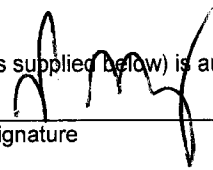
- B. ☒ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as follows:

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